

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Indian Tourism Development Corporation (ITDC) – Operating Duty Free Shops at Kakinada Anchorage and Deep Water Ports, Kakinada – Permitted - Orders – Issued.

INFRASTRUCTURE & INVESTMENT (PORTS.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 194

Dated:30-09-2010

Read the following.

- 1) From the Vice-President, Ashok International Trade Division, ITDC, New Delhi, Lr.No.VP/AITD/Port/10, Dt.10-06-2010.
- 2) Govt. letter No.502/Ports.II/2010, dt.30-06-2010.
- 3) From the Vice-President, Ashok International Trade Division, ITDC, New Delhi, Lr.No. 16/7/w/14 July,2010, Dt.14-07-2010.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Vice President, Ashok International Trade Division, ITDC, New Delhi has stated that India Tourism Development Corporation (ITDC) has been operating Duty Free Shops at various airports for the last 40 years and their Duty Free infrastructure at the tourist entry points is an important element in the development of tourism in this country. While this facility of Duty Free trade is available at the various airports, the same, is not provided at sea ports. Hence, he has requested the Government to permit the ITDC to operate Duty Free Shops at Kakinada Anchorage and Deep Water Ports, Kakinada for the sake of development of tourism in the country, as well as in the State.

2. In the letter 2nd read above the Vice- President, Ashok International Trade Division, ITDC, New Delhi has been informed that the request of the India Tourism Development Corporation for development of Duty Free Shops at Kakinada Anchorage and Kakinada Deep water ports is acceptable to the Government and he has been requested to furnish detailed proposal in this regard. Accordingly he has submitted necessary proposals to the Government for establishment of duty free shops at Kakinada Ports.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter here by permit the Indian Tourism Development Corporation to operate Duty Free Shops at Kakinada Anchorage and Deep Water Ports, Kakinada within the Customs area of Kakinada Port.

4. The Vice President, Ashok International Trade Division, ITDC, New Delhi is requested to obtain all the necessary statutory permissions required under Shops and Establishment Act, including sales tax registration, prior to starting of shop operations and also to obtain the licence to operate bonded warehouse from Customs etc. from the concerned Departments for smooth operation of the above said shops.

5. The Director of Ports, Kakinada shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJAY MISHRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Ports, Kakinada

The Vice President, Ashok International Trade Division, India Tourism Development Corporation, New Delhi

Copy to:

The P.S. to Principal Secretary to C.M.

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